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MEMORANDUM

To: Legislative Oversight Committee Members

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North Carolina Association of County Commissioners

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North Carolina Council of Community Programs

NC Association of Directors of DSS

From: Steven Jordan

Re:

Communication Bulletin #115

NC-TOPPS Outcomes At A Glance Dashboard 2.0

State Facility Directors Area Program Directors Area Program Board Chairs DHHS Division Directors Provider Organizations

MH/DD/SAS Professional Organizations and Groups MH/DD/SAS Stakeholder Organizations and Groups

Other MH/DD/SAS Stakeholders



We are pleased to announce the new and improved "NC-TOPPS Outcomes at a Glance 2.0" online dashboard. The revised outcomes dashboard now allows the public to view and print graphs, as well as download outcomes data, for all mental health and substance abuse providers participating in NC-TOPPS. The information provided shows current State, LME, and provider information on meaningful outcomes for substance abuse and mental health consumers. The dashboard currently consists of twenty important outcomes measures which include: Alcohol and Drug Use, Physical Health, Employment, Homelessness and Mental Health Symptoms among many others. The online dashboard is updated on a monthly basis. You can access the dashboard by going to the NC DMHDDSAS homepage at http://www.ncdhhs.gov/mhddsas/index.htm and clicking on the icon "NC-TOPPS Outcomes at a Glance 2.0".

If you have questions regarding the revised dashboard, please send them via electronic mail to: ContactDMHQuality@dhhs.nc.gov

cc: Secretary Lanier M. Cansler

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